

Charles Brown.

JOYCE TESTIFIES ON HIS OWN PART

TELLS HIS VERSION OF THE EVEN-
ING'S TROUBLE.

MINOR QUESTIONS ARE UP

Says He Did Not See Zimmerman
at the Time of the Trouble
with Him.

There was standing room only in the court room yesterday afternoon, Dr. Whiting testified that in hospital practice it was customary to keep in cases like the one under discussion and that it would have been possible to cleanse a room in the Zimmerman home so that the operation could have been performed. He thought that the infection might have been induced by the missile used in inflicting the blow.

Dr. Pember on Stand.
Dr. J. Frank Pember said that a physician would not have been warranted in performing the operation in the house because it was likely to make a bad matter worse on account of the surrounding conditions. In addition to this there were no symptoms the first few days to indicate that such an operation was necessary. No nerve centre was affected by the blow as the so called negative lobes which control no special portion of the body are located at this point. It was possible to remove a portion of the brain at this point without loss of life or faculties. It was a practice among physicians to refuse to operate, even in good houses, on account of the danger of infection. It might have been possible to do so to cleanse a room in the Zimmerman house as to permit an operation, but it would have required several days. Dr. Merritt was called to the stand for a few moments. His testimony corroborated that of the preceding physicians.

Mrs. Champion.
Mrs. George Champion said that she was sitting in the park with Mr. Champion about 10 o'clock on the morning of May 23 when she saw two men coming. One of them, the taller of the two, came up to where Mr. Champion was sitting and presently the taller one hit him. As her husband and this man started fighting, the shorter man seized her, choked her, and threw her to the ground. The taller man said something like "Let the girl go," and the shorter one did so.

The Telegraph Student

George Goebel, the telegraph student whose home is in Woodstock, Ill., testified that he was attending the Valentine School at the time the trouble occurred. On the evening of May 23 in company with Anna Rohr he attended the theatre. After the play was over he said that he went with the girl to the court house park. As they ascended the steps to sit down they noticed that a man was coming after them and thinking that he might be an officer they descended to the lower stairs. The man came up to the girl and asked her if he could speak to her in private. "She said she wouldn't stop aside and talk with him without my consent. He asked me who I was and I said that I was a gentleman. Then he struck me on the side of the head with his fist and knocked me down. As I fell she yelled: 'Tom Joyce is killing my fellow.'"

Barney O'Brien

Ernest Shoemaker and L. M. Nelson, janitor of the courthouse, testified as to the location of certain trees and buildings on the grounds. Barney O'Brien testified to an alleged conversation that took place in Conrad's warehouse on the Monday morning following the affray in the park. The witness said that Joyce had told him that he and Ernest Blum had had some trouble and Blum had struck a man with a bottle; that later they found a man lying down on the ground and that he had struck him with a stone—that the man's name was Zimmerman. This testimony differed somewhat from that given in the preliminary trial and the witness was submitted to a searching examination.

Ernest Blum Again

Ernest Blum was called to the stand again. Attorney Nolan asked him if he remembered walking on West Milwaukee street, between eight and nine o'clock on the evening of October 21 with a man shorter than he was and saying, while passing Baker's drug store: "No, I am the one who hit him with it. I think I'll get out of this trouble all right because I framed up a better story than Joyce," or words to that effect. Witness answered: "No. He was asked if he remembered saying to Joyce on the Sunday morning following the trouble that if Joyce wouldn't peach on him, he (Blum) would go up and plead self-defense—and that if Joyce would leave town he would go up anyway. Witness answered "No."

"A" or "The"

Frank Leek was asked if he knew Thomas J. Spaw and if he remembered talking with him on the evening after the examination closed. He said he did. He was further asked if he remembered saying "I'll soak him—I'll give it to him." Witness answered that he did not. William Smith, an employee of the Choate-Hollister works, testified that on returning from a party about three or four o'clock, on the morning of the 9th of August, he heard a noise in the street-car barns and went over there to see what the matter was. He found there Ernest Blum, Frank Nickels and Herman Loefler. Nickels asked Blum if he knew Smith and if that Blum turned to Smith and inquired: "Are you a friend of Tom Joyce?" Smith said he answered: "No—I am a friend of these fellows." The witness said that Blum then remarked: "Tom Joyce is in jail charged with killing a man. I hit the man with a whiskey bottle." Attorney Jackson asked the witness if he had not said "a" man in the preliminary examination. The witness maintained that what Blum had said was "the" man.

Joyce Takes the Stand

Tom Joyce was placed on the stand at 4:20 p. m. He said that he was nineteen years old on August 8,

last, that he was born in Johnstown and had lived in Janesville sixteen years with his parents who reside at 151 Eastern avenue. He had been working in the Hough Shade works this spring but laid off on the 16th of May when the factory closed down.

Story of the Night

He told the story of his meeting with Blum and Albritton, and the rounds of drinks in Sheridan's and Hough's saloons. His narrative differed somewhat from that of Blum. He said that he drank only short beers while Albritton and Blum drank whiskey. The meeting was accidental, he said. Blum had accosted him and asked him if he would referee a fight at his home the next morning.

The Mysterious Arthur

He and Blum finally went over to the doorway of the theatre. Witness said that a girl passed out and motioned him to follow. Joyce admitted that he said: "There goes a fellow with my girl" and added: "He's a slinger, is he?" He then followed them. Some Arthur came out in the park with Blum and Albritton while the fight with the telegraph student was in progress.

Picked up No Stones

"Did you say after the fight: 'I'm going to be prepared—that fellow will bring all the brass pounders in town down here,'" asked Attorney Nolan.

"No, sir."

"Did you pick up any stones?"

"No, sir."

The witness continuing, said that they all sat down on a bench and drank some whiskey and that Blum became sick. After awhile they ran onto Champion. The latter told them that they'd better move as they were on personal property. Witness said that he thought Champion was going to strike at him. Blum grabbed the girl. Champion had about finished Joyce when Blum came up and hit him with a whiskey bottle. Blum said "Shoot the —, Tom."

Dr. Joyce, who so badly battered at him, he could not speak and sat down by a tree. Arthur "Grew" or "Drew" was present at the fight but went up towards the band stand after it was over.

The Lighted Matches

After a time Joyce said that he saw some matches being lighted near the band stand. He called Blum's attention to it and Blum said there must be something doing up there and he guessed he'd take it in. "I didn't go with him—I was too badly used up from the fight." After awhile Blum came back and told him (Joyce) that he had hit a man with a stone. "He said he could see the rabbit popping out all over me—that Champion was a big man but only a baby side of the man he had just fixed."

Blum Disappears

After that they went down the avenue and lay down in a favorable spot and went to sleep. When Joyce woke up Blum was gone. In the conversation in front of Blum's house on the following morning, witness said that Blum remarked that he had hit Zimmerman with a stone. If it was a fatal blow, he'd been there before. Joyce testified that he had made every possible effort through his relatives and friends to find the mysterious man, Arthur "Grew" or "Drew" who was with them during a part of the night.

News of the Railroads

Among the very excellent railway reports for the month of October is that of the Lehigh Valley. Unlike the Erie, which suffered severely from the floods in New Jersey, the operating expenses of the Lehigh Valley were only increased \$92,408. On the other hand, the gross earnings were \$2,557,107, an increase of \$736,502. Including the affiliated coal companies with the earnings of the railway property, the net after deducting fixed charges, taxes, additions, improvements, etc., was \$8,781, as compared with a deficit in the same month last year of \$291,624, or an increase of \$300,408. From July 1 to October 31 the gross earnings have increased \$1,323,920, and the operating expenses have increased only \$220,962. The surplus from all of the Lehigh Coal and Railroad companies for this period was \$2,645,552, as compared with a deficit last year of \$3,114,270 or an increase of \$6,259,822.

By an agreement between the Michigan Central and the Pere Marquette railroads, close and friendly relations will exist. The Pere Marquette will use the Lake Shore tracks from Porter, Ind., to Whiting, Ind., and from the latter town enter Chicago over the Michigan Central tracks. Another agreement allows that Pere Marquette to enter Buffalo, N. Y., over the Michigan Central rails.

The Difficulty between the Canadian Pacific locomotive engineers and firemen and the company has been settled on terms mutually advantageous. A general increase has been granted by the company to every class of mechanics.

The Interstate commerce commission has not Dec. 21 as the date for the case of the Richmond Elevator company against the Pere Marquette road for alleged discrimination in supply of cars.

On Jan. 1 Henry B. Ledyard will retire as president of the Michigan Central railroad and the duties he has been performing will be assumed by General Manager Richard H. L'Hommedieu.

Experiments are being made on the Michigan Central with the use of portable telephones. The apparatus consist of a hand telephone and a long wire pole which is made in sections.

April 1 has been set by President Ramsey of the Wabash road as the opening date of the Pittsburg extension.

Chicago & Alton earnings for October showed an increase of 21 per cent in gross and 30 per cent in net.

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WEATHER TALK FOR DECEMBER

WHAT WE MAY EXPECT IN WAY
OF CLIMATE.

THE HEAVENS ARE BRILLIANT

Stars Are Beautiful—Changes That
Will Come During the
Month.

Astronomers tell the following story for the month of December. Venus is the only morning star visible to the eye. Mercury is too near the sun to be seen, although he is as near the sunset line as the evening star. Mars, Jupiter and Saturn are getting into a bunch pretty low in the west at sunset. On December 20th, at 7 o'clock p. m. a good time to see them, Mars and Saturn will be almost together in the sky, that is, we will see them as if they were, though Saturn will be many millions of miles beyond Mars. On the day and hour named above Mars will be only half a degree to the south of Saturn. Those who have telescopes, with low power eyepieces, may easily see both planets in the same field at this time. Although we have left these planets far behind in our voyage around the sun, they will still be very plain, even to the naked eye, at the time of their conjunction on the 20th. The fact that Mars is at its perihelion on the 22nd, shows that he will yet shine with distinct brilliancy. The moon will also be very near these planets at the time of their conjunction. Uranus will be in conjunction with the sun and earth on the 18th, and Neptune will be in opposition with the earth and sun on the 27th.

Uranus And Neptune.

The planets Uranus and Neptune can never become popular objects, from the fact that their great distance from the sun hinders them from being seen by the unaided human eye. If either of them was as near as Venus, Mercury or Mars, or even Jupiter and Saturn, it would become an attractive object to the naked eye, as may be seen by the following facts: Mercury is only three thousand miles in diameter, Venus seven thousand, the earth about eight thousand, and Mars five thousand, whereas Uranus is thirty thousand eight hundred and seventy miles in diameter. This makes Uranus ten times larger than Mercury, six times larger than Mars, and about four times the size of earth and Venus. But the trouble with Venus is that he is 1,658,781,000 miles from the sun. Hence his great orb which would outshine our moon if he were placed nearer to us, is never seen by unaided human eyes. Uranus is eighty-four years and a fraction in going once around the sun, moving at the rate of 15,202 miles per hour.

Hicks' Prediction

According to the Rev. Hicks, this is the month when the earth reaches its turning point in its annual revolution around the sun, there are always meteorological phenomena peculiar to the period. The first regular storm period runs from the 2d to the 8th, having the full moon at greatest north declination and in perigee. This is to look for are, during the 3d and 4th warmer in all western sections. A low barometric condition will come with rain and snow and will reach across the country from about the 10th to the 17th. Look for rain first, is Mr. Hicks warning, except in the extreme north, but be prepared for the snow and possibly blizzards to follow. The full moon in perigee at winter solstice is suggestive of decided winter storms, followed by high barometer and very cold.

The Eleventh

On and about the 11th, look for rapid rise of temperature, so much so, indeed, that winter lightning and thunder southward are probable. Some very high winds, with heavy rains will visit most sections from the 10th to the 13th. A high barometer behind the storms will bring change to furious snow in northwest and north, all followed by a cold wave. The third storm period from the 15th to the 19th, will bring about decided turn to the warmer, with fallen barometer and renewed rain and snow storms. It will reach its culminating stages about the 18th, at which time, rain will turn to blizzards snow in western and northern states and a solstice cold wave will come eastward and southward out of the northwest, making itself felt over most parts of the country from the 19th to the 21st.

HEAVY BUYER IS IN JANESVILLE

An Eastern Tobacco Merchant Speaks
Well of the Tobacco
Outlook.

Julius Marquette, of New York, a well known tobacco merchant, is in Janesville this week looking over his interests and the trade conditions in general. He spoke well of the Janesville tobacco and said he believed that the prospects were good for the '03 crop. He further stated that no plant of the class had a better demand in the east than the Wisconsin tobacco and he believed that prices would be good for the present season.

Real Estate Transfers

F. A. Humphrey & wife to Carl Klingbeil \$5000.00 net 1/2 2 Turtle Vol 1634d.
William J. Robertson & wife to Albert J. Hosmer \$260.00 lot 104 Gessley's sub div Beloit Vol 1634d.
Charles C. Richardson & William H. Richardson to Wallace Crocker \$16250.00 p. of 85.6, 7.3 Union.
Louisa Carpenter to Walter M. Brittan \$24000.00 lot 1, 2 Rufus King's sub div Beloit.

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CATTLE TALK IN CHICAGO YARDS

Present Outlook Is Told Of in a
Weekly Letter from the
Stock District.

Receipts of cattle this week so far have run nearly 5,000 below week ago and prices improved a little on the choice kinds Monday which was maintained today but on all below the handy kinds our market was very slow and about 10c lower. Top up to one o'clock was \$570 but there was some show cattle on sale which were expected to go above that figure.

Butcher's stuff was very slow and all but sold some lower. Canners sold mostly from \$1.50 to 2c. Bulls all the way from \$1.75 to 4c. Only those good ones for export at the latter figure. Hologas sold at \$2.25 to \$2.50. Feeders have improved 15c to 25c this week, our show bringing quite a number of buyers into the trade for such stock. One of our collectors said he saw 500 to 800 feeders selling at 2c in the northwestern part of Iowa. It looks to us as if much money could be made feeding cattle at such ruinously low prices. Corn is scarce in some parts of the country and where it is no cattle to speak of will be fed, consequently, there will be a shortage in the spring and higher prices.

We have a large number of show cattle to be auctioned off Thursday and Friday and on those some fancy prices will be realized but we do not anticipate as high prices as were received a year ago.

Hogs.

Receipts of hogs are about 12,500 below same time last week and we scored quite an advance Monday but some of it was taken off yesterday and today. We had a peculiar market today, opening 5c to 10c lower, gaining back the decline, then weakening and finally closing as high as any time today. Packing hogs and light weights sold mostly from \$4.05 to \$4.75 and shippers \$4.50 to \$4.60, with a top as high as \$4.65. We believe prices are now on a sound basis and that a decline of any account is not much to be feared before January. After that we get enough hogs to reduce prices to 4c.

Sheep.

Receipts of sheep have fallen off badly this week, being nearly 29,000 below a week ago at the same time. Prices Monday were the highest in some time but yesterday and today prices declined 15c to 25c. Lambs sold mostly at 5c to \$5.50, feeding lambs from \$1 to \$4.50.

Yours very respectfully
DANIELS, WELLS & CARPENTER.

AUTO. CLUB IS A POSSIBILITY

Many Owners in the City May Com-
bine for Mutual Ben-
efit.

Will the automobile owners in Janesville form a club for mutual benefit and protection? This is the subject which has been considered by some who own machines in the lower city and the prospect for an organization of this kind being formed in the next few months is bright. There are quite a number of these vehicles in the town, from Mr. Blodgett's quiet run-about to Mr. Parker's "Red Devil." Owners of machines ought to "get together" and plan, for in union there is strength, especially with gasoline wagons. There are several reasons why Janesville should have an auto society. If such an organization does not regulate the speed of machines within the town limits, the council will and in a case like this it is best to follow David Harum's advice—"Do it first." Then besides, the Golf club has things altogether too much its own way. If there was an automobile association, the question would not be, "do you play golf but?"

Wagon society? Another reason for combination is that when the streets become crowded for easy speeding, a row of automobiles would do the work; when one could not get through or the special police janitors that might have been; could be elected to remove people from the streets. Another plausible plan suggested by a chauffeur is that an ordinance be passed the council prohibiting blockading the thoroughfares with horses, carriages and pedestrians. Every city of any size has an auto club and Janesville should get in line.

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INVENTORS IN THE BADGER STATE

New Things Devised by Wisconsin
Men Are Protected by
Law.

R. W. Bishop, Patent Attorney, Washington, D. C., reports the list of the following patents on the list instant to residents of Wisconsin.

745,324. Vignetter. M. V. Canter, Jefferson.
745,361. Chain. C. W. Leavelle, Milwaukee.
745,379. Means for protecting windings from static strains. John Pearson, Somerset, Wis., and F. H. M. Cutcheon, St. Paul, Minn.
745,418. Magnetic tachometer. A. P. Warner, Chicago, Ill., and C. H. Warner, Beloit, Wis.
745,512. Stup for saw-mill gear-rings. Arthur Niedermeier, Milwaukee, assignor to Filer & Stowell Co., same place.
745,612. Rolled paper package. F. H. Hoberg, Green Bay.
745,674. Bottle-carrier. A. L. Rossmann and Ferdinand Barthold, Milwaukee.
745,723. Spacing-machine. W. A. Gray, Milwaukee.
745,730. Conveyor. Charles Rasmussen, Racine.
745,795. Knife attachment. G. E. Crosby, Albion, Wis., assignor of one-half to F. B. Lawton, same place.
745,902. Seeding-machine. Adam Ploss, Monmouth, Pa., assignor of one-half to M. F. Lepper, same place.

LABOR NOTES

A vote is being taken by the members of the Cigar-makers' International Union throughout the United States and Canada on an amendment to the International constitution that will permit any union or all of them to join in sympathetic strikes.

The departure made by the Montreal, Canada Street Railway company in establishing a benefit fund and working out so successfully, that already over 1200 of the 1,500 employees of the company have taken advantage of it by joining the association.

St. Paul, Minn., Retail Grocery Clerks' union is making a great fight for a Sunday closing movement and intend to see that the new law, requiring grocery stores to close on Sunday, is strictly enforced in St. Paul.

The Journeymen Stone Cutters association of America, which recently voted against affiliation with the A. F. of L., has decided to take another vote on the subject. This time a recommendation in favor of affiliation will be sent out by the National Executive Board of the association.

There has just been organized at Vienna, Austria, a labor council, composed of representatives of workmen, employers, sociologists and delegates of different departments of the government, for the purpose of investigating the problem of the unemployed.

Lawyers with the backing of builders and employers representing \$100,000,000 or more in New York City are now working on bills to be introduced in the various state legislatures this winter, which seek to destroy absolutely the power of the walking delegate and make labor strikes impossible.

Alabama coal miners have decided to hold their annual meeting on December 14. At this time they will elect officers for the ensuing year, and will also consider the proposition of having but one state convention a year, the scale convention, held in the summer, being incorporated with the convention when officers are elected, etc.

The United Labor League of Western Pennsylvania has adopted the proposition for the consolidation of all labor unions in that section into a Pittsburgh trades assembly, giving it a membership of nearly 100,000 workmen of all kinds.

BIG INSTALLATION LAST EVENING

Fraternal Reserve Takes in Thirty
New Members and Elects
Officers.

W. H. Ashcraft was elected president of the Fraternal Reserve association for the coming year at the meeting held last evening. After the regular business program and election, thirty new members were initiated into the order and at the conclusion of the exercises, a banquet was served. The following were the new officers elected:

Past president, Percie Boyce; president, W. H. Ashcraft; vice president, R. R. Lee; secretary, H. D. Murdoch; treasurer, J. W. Boyce; physicians, W. H. Judd, F. B. Farnsworth; sergeant-at-arms, Frank J. Bick; assistants sergeant-at-arms, Emil Schumacher, Minnie Cowan and Mrs. Charles Atkinson; doorkeeper, E. L. Marshall; messenger, Edward Klenow; judges, Chas. Atkinson, Chas. H. Hemingway, Harry O. Schumley; fraternity, Anna Klenow; unity, Elsie Cowan; charity, Sadie S. Judd; pianist, W. H. Schumacher; assistant pianist, Viola Schumacher.

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The extensive improvements and remodeling which the East Side Odd Fellows hall has been undergoing since the early spring were finished this week and an inspection of the commodious and pleasantly furnished rooms shows that the new hall ranks with the best in the city. The work of remodeling was carried on under the direction of the trustees for the Wisconsin Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F. The three men who carried the work to a successful completion are C. W. Schwartz, W. B. Stoddard and W. G. Palmer and much credit is due to them for the task was no light one. The cost of the improvements and new furnishings will amount to over \$5,000.

On entering the building, the first thing noticeable is the broad stairway leading to the first floor. The walls are tastefully painted and the landings and steps are roomy and allow free passageway for large crowds at a time. At the head of the steps the visitor is escorted into the anteroom of the lodge hall, directly to the left of the steps. In the smaller apartments are ample facilities for leaving wraps and hats and the lodge room itself is a spacious apartment 33 by 42 feet. At either end are the raised platforms and chairs usually seen in halls of this kind. A handsome carpet covers the floor and the walls are covered with the charters and many emblems of the different societies and lodges which hold their regular meetings in the building. In the anteroom the walls are draped with the lodge banners, emblems and flags. The entire building is equipped with gas and electric light and red globes are provided for illuminations and work in the lodge. A special apartment is arranged for the goat. At the side of the speaker's platform is a desk for the secretary fitted with all the necessary articles and with a special gas burner.

Good Cloak Rooms

The dressing and toilet rooms on this floor are splendidly equipped and convenient arranged so that they are accessible from any of the rooms. The apartment formerly used for the lodge work is now occupied as a dining room and covers can be laid for eighty-five people. There are altogether five rooms on this floor. The kitchen is thoroughly equipped to accommodate the required number and all of the apartments are kept in perfect order by Jerome Howland, the veteran janitor. Mr. Howland is an old resident of Janesville and has occupied his present position for over twenty-five years. He is considered a model janitor by all who visit the building.

Excellent Floor

On the second floor is located the dance hall which in the opinion of Prof. Kebl, the dancing master, is the best in the city for its size. It is considerably larger than the lodge hall below and is nearly square, an advantage to dancers. Back of this room an entire new addition has been erected which includes a smoking room and cloak repository for the men. A long view affords a good view of the hall from the "crescent" den so that the young men can see when their best girls are dancing with the other fellows. The cloak room is unique in that an entirely new system of checking coats and hats is used. Mr. Schwartz takes great pride in this feature and states that it does away with much annoyance usually met at such places. A separate place is arranged for the coats, hats, umbrellas and overcoats and there is no trap-like arrangement for the attendant to jam a fellow's derby along with his overcoats and \$75 coat. All who have seen this room claim that it is the most convenient in the city.

Lodges That Meet Here

Among other lodges and societies in the Bower City that make their home in the new hall are: The United Commercial Travelers, The Order of Honor, Ladies and Knights of the Maccabees, A. O. U. W., Mystic Workers of the World, Rebekah Lodge No. 26, Bazaar of the Bazaar, the Knights of the Globe, the Ladies Social club and several afternoon societies.

LAUREL LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS

At Regular Meeting Last Evening, Officers Were Chosen for Positions of Trust.

An interesting meeting of Laurel Lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor, was held last evening and the regular election of officers for the ensuing year took place. Miss Nellie Ohlweiler was elected to the position of chief of honor. The remainder of the officers were chosen as follows: Chief of honor, Honora Marshall; lady of honor, Mildred Hough; chief of ceremony, Carrie Horn; recorder, Mary Tanberg; financier, Mae McCarthy; receiver, Anna Buob; usher, Gertrude Murphy; inner watch, Rose Bohan; outer watch, Margaret Young; captain of drill team, Della Buob; musician, Minnie Meggett; trustee for three years, Minnie Skelly; examining physicians, Drs. Cunningham and McCarthy; Anna Logerman elected delegate for grand lodge; alternate, Nellie Ohlweiler; maids of honor, Lillian Buob and Anna Hans.

Christ Church Sale

The annual sale of Christ Church Guild will be held in the parish house on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, Dec. 10th. Sale opens at 1:30 p. m. Supper from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m.

MANY SURPRISED MR. AND MRS. CROW

Twelfth Anniversary of Their Marriage Celebrated by a Delightful Company.

Last evening the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs to the number of forty took possession of the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crow, of 306 Linn street, and remodeled them that they had been married twelve years. The company enjoyed a pleasant evening. Among those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames, Coleman, Knudson, Stanton, Blanchard, Dobb, Watson, Warner, Brownson, Ray, Davy, Merrill, Conroy, Parish, Ellis, White; Mesdames Josephine Hunkley, Joyle Turbough, Battery, McDonald, Ester Baldwin, Welis, Ryckman; Misses Helen Meisner, Margaret Ray, and Master Ellsworth Parish.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Rock River Encampment, No. 3, East Side Odd Fellows hall. Oriental Lodge, No. 22, at Castle hall. Illuminated Sheet Metal Workers at Assembly hall. Carpenters' Union at Assembly hall.

FUTURE EVENTS

Ezra Kendall at the opera house this evening. Rock County Teachers' meeting December 5th. "A Run for Her Money" at opera house December 9. "Human Hearts" at opera house December 12. Y. M. C. A. basket ball game at Rockford Dec. 13.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Talk to Lowell. Kimberly, printer, Phoenix Bldg. My line of holiday goods are all in. "Fine selection of every thing in games, picture books, fine bric-a-brac and China. All descriptions of toys for the little folks and full line of conifers. Let us show you what 5 or 10 cents will buy. F. J. Hinterscheid, 5 and 10 Cent Store. Handsome French gray candle. You can save money at the rummage sale, for Christmas gifts. F. C. Cook & Co. Don't forget to take in the rummage sale. Fancy gift jewel cases and small gift clocks in our window. F. C. Cook & Co. Elegant Sterling silver toilet sets and brushes. See window. F. C. Cook & Co. All sorts of bargains at the rummage sale in Odd Fellows' block. Give some things useful for Christmas. F. C. Hayes will be at the store of F. C. Cook on Saturday. Have your children's eyes fitted for glasses. The moving picture and vaudeville entertainment to be given by the firemen next Monday and Tuesday evenings will be more than interesting. The show is to be given at Myers Grand. Box office opens tomorrow at 9 a. m. Mrs. Woodstock has placed on sale for the Christmas trade a fine line of Japanese goods, direct from Japan, at very reasonable prices. Complete line of the Christy pictures at Skelly's book store. Call at Mrs. Woodstock's and see the imported Japanese vases. The newest, richest and best cut glass for the money at Putnam's. Beautiful line of new fancy china and novelties of all kinds for Christmas gifts at Skelly's book store. The firemen's moving picture and vaudeville entertainment at Myers Grand Monday and Tuesday nights. Box office opens tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. A beautiful piece of art is Queen Wilhelmina's face in Kimball's window, painted and burned by Mrs. A. W. Slocum, 114 N. Academy street. Orders taken by phone, 782 now, 214 old. Lessons given. If you do not know what to buy for Xmas look through Putnam's china department or furniture store. George Marsden of the Badger State Machine company has left for a business trip in the east. If you fail to attend the vaudeville and moving picture entertainment to be given by the Janesville fire department you'll miss a treat. Entertainment is to be given Monday and Tuesday evenings at Myers Grand.

We Have Just Purchased an

elegant sample line of furs at a big reduction. Don't fail to see these beautiful scarfs; the styles and prices are very attractive. T. P. Burns. There is no article of clothing that will add more to your comfort this cold weather than a good warm suit of underwear. Our prices will constrain you to buy. T. P. Burns.

Mr. L. D. Richardson, general

superintendent (for the) American Bell Telephone company at Minneapolis, Minn., has just returned after a short visit to his brother-in-law, C. H. Spencer, and Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Carpenter. Mr. Richardson was manager of the Wisconsin Telephone Co. at Janesville for several years in connection with which he also had charge of the Janesville Street Railway company's lines, and in 1890 was transferred to the management of the La Crosse exchange for the Wisconsin company.

Attention K. of P.

Election of officers this evening and work in first and second rank. Every member is requested to be present. W. O. Newhouse, C. C.

Mrs. Emma Gates

Mrs. Emma Bostwick Gates, the wife of Egbert F. Gates, died this morning at 6:50 after a long illness with spinal trouble. The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Cheney of Beloit officiating.

For Sale.—All kinds of fancy

articles, Indian work, burnt wood, painted chairs, cookery books for mothers. Women's Exchange, Myers House office, Dec. 9th.

MANY COUNTY TEACHERS MEET

SESSION OPENS AT HIGH SCHOOL TOMORROW MORNING.

DIVISIONS OF PROGRAMME

Many Speakers Well Known in Educational Circles Will Be Present.

Every teacher in Rock county is looking forward with interest to the sessions at the high school building tomorrow and Superintendent Buell stated yesterday that a larger attendance was expected than at any previous meeting of the Rock County Teachers' association. All Day Meetings. The first session begins at 9:30 and the program will continue until late in the afternoon. The speakers who will talk on the important subjects selected are well known and the fact that their names are on the program, as participants, will be an assurance that the conference of 1903 will be of great interest to those who have a part in the educational interests of the county. Some of the Speakers. Prin. W. A. Clark will speak at the morning gathering, also the Rev. R. C. Denison and Attorney C. D. Rosa of Beloit. President Albert Salisbury of Whitewater will close the general session with an interesting talk. Other speakers at the general meeting are Supt. C. W. Snowalter and Rudolph Karges of Orfordville. Separate Talks. In the afternoon on account of the number of addresses and subjects to be considered, the meeting will be divided into separate gatherings. The four divisions are: The high school section, the rural school conference, the grammar section and the primary division. Other Speakers. The speakers who will take part and lead in talks on some of the above subjects are: J. E. King, of Evansville; Geo. Schmitt, of Whitewater; Miss Minnie Huyward, of Clinton; and F. A. Harrison, of Brookfield; Prof. D. C. Moulton, of the state university, C. W. Rittenberg, of Whitewater and E. W. Walker, Prof. A. H. Taylor, Miss Alice Spencer and others.

From Other Counties

While the attendance by Rock county teachers will be large, as nearly every one is expected to be present, the indications are that well known educators will be in Janesville from other parts of the state and especially from neighboring counties.

STATE FAIR DATE FIXED FOR YEAR

September 5th to 10th Has Been Selected at the Chicago Meeting.

The American Association of Fairs and Expositions met in the new Live Stock Record building in Chicago last night with a large attendance. At this meeting the Kansas state fair at Topeka, the Central Kansas association of Hutchinson, the Cleveland Riding Park club, and the Montana Fair association were admitted to membership. Dates for next year's fairs were fixed as follows: Wisconsin state fair, Sept. 5-10. Iowa state fair, Aug. 22-27. Minnesota state fair, Aug. 29-Sept. 3. Ohio state fair, Aug. 29-Sept. 3. Nebraska state fair, Sept. 5-10. Sioux City Interstate fair, Sept. 5-10. Kansas exposition company, Sept. 12-17. Kansas central fair, Sept. 12-17. Cleveland park association, Sept. 12-21. Indiana state fair, Oct. 3-8. Montana state fair, Oct. 3-8. Following is the result of election, being the reinstatement of the last year's officers: President, C. N. Cosgrove, LeSuer, Minn.; vice president, J. S. Stucky, Van Wert, O.; treasurer, George H. Madden, Mendota, Ill.; secretary, John M. True, Madison, Wis.

John Croke.

John Croke, one of the pioneer residents of Janesville and Rock county died at his home at Oak Hill and North Hamilton Avenue late yesterday afternoon. He had not been in the best of health of late and during the past few days he has shown signs of failing fast. Mr. Croke has made his home in Janesville for fifty-five years and at the time of his death was a man of 86 years. He leaves to mourn his loss five sons and two daughters. Three of his sons reside in Virginia and the remainder of the family reside in this city.

Birthday Party.

A delightful birthday party was given for little Miss Evelyn Welsh, daughter of T. E. Welsh, daughter of T. E. Welsh, 202 Cherry street, last Wednesday afternoon from two o'clock to five. Miss Welsh is seven years old and sixteen of her friends spent a very pleasant afternoon at her house, and presented the guest of honor with many presents in memory of the occasion.

Fine Art Sale.

Miss Capelle will open her sale Monday, Dec. 7, and continue same until Christmas. The collection includes Norwegian Embroidery and all latest designs in art needle work.

Fraternal Orders.

We furnish bonds for your officers at very low rates. All people in positions of trust bonded. Call or phone for rates and particulars. CARTER & MORSE.

Important for Carpenters.

The regular meeting of the Carpenters' union at Assembly hall this evening is one of special importance and all members are asked to be present.

Taken to Hospital.

Mrs. Ham Ames, who has been ailing for some time past, has been taken to the Palmer hospital where she will be cared for by Dr. Woods.

BAD MAN MAY BE COMING THIS WAY

Steals an Auto. in Illinois, Eludes the Officers and Crosses State Line.

If Chicago dispatches are true there is a very bad man with a very bad western record wandering somewhere about southern Wisconsin in a stolen automobile and he may be heading towards Janesville. The accounts of the daring desperado with many nicks in his revolver handle is told in the following dispatch: "Stovepipe" Haley of the west is somewhere in Wisconsin with an automobile that belongs to the Hallett Bros. company of Springfield, and residents of the Badger state who know of his coming are nailing down their dollars. He went across the boundary line in the automobile after an exciting chase by Waukegan constables, and his automobile broke down, but just too late for the Illinois officers to get the law to catch him, as he was across the Wisconsin boundary line about twenty feet. Haley is a Coloradoan, registers at hotels as being from Denver, and was an associate of the famous "Soapy" Smith when that genius was coining money by advertising that he would sell bars of soap with dollar bills wrapped around them.

Haley used to operate shell games

in the streets of Denver and Cheyenne, and the revolver he carried in those days bore a dozen nicks on the handle, each the record of a victim of his deadly aim. He was a professional "bad man," a sure shot, and a gambler famous in western mining camps for three decades. About three weeks ago he went to Springfield and began looking at automobiles. He took one of the Hallett firm's big touring cars out for a trial spin, got rid of the chauffeur, and disappeared. The police followed, but Haley won the race.

MEET ON TUESDAY FOR ORGANIZATION

New Choral Society Have Set the Date for Their First Meeting.

On Tuesday evening next the proposed choral union which has been planned for will hold its first meeting at Miss Julia Wilson's rooms in the Court Street church block. All singers throughout the city who desire to join are asked to be present. Prof. L. A. Torrens will have the work in charge will be present.

Heat From Incandescent Light.

It is usually imagined that the incandescent electric light gives out very little heat. As a matter of fact, only 6 per cent of its energy goes to make light, while 94 per cent goes into heat.

When Autos Get Cheap.

The Minnesota Board of Tax Equalization has discovered that the many hundreds of automobiles subject to taxation in the state the values scheduled ranged from \$1.75 to \$500. Several automobiles in one county were listed at \$12 each.

Must Be Bad Spirits.

A. B. Selzer of San Francisco has brought suit for divorce against his wife on the ground that the spirits told him she no longer loved him. Singularly as it may sound, this testimony was recorded in court.

REPORTS FROM THE GRAIN MARKET

The opening was very strong with good commission house buying and the crowd bullish. Higher cables were offset by heavier northwest receipts but the Ohio crop report showing winter wheat condition 73 against 81 last month and 91 a year ago set the crowd going and the rest was easy. During the balance of the day the market continued strong with scarcely a reaction and closed bank at the top and in new territory on this movement. According to our views, wheat should be sold above 85 cents and we cannot advise buying it except on a sharp break from these prices. Corn was strong again, today with very little offering. Commission houses fair buyers. The talent seems to be fighting the advance but not successfully. Receipts continue light. We would buy corn on all breaks. Oats steady to strong with light trade. Good oats are scarce and high with not more than enough to go around but the market won't run away very fast. Provisions quiet and slightly easier in tone, the packers as usual doing the selling on the strong spots. Floyd, Crawford & Co.

Notice

The annual sale of the Christ Church Guild scheduled for Tuesday, December 8, has been postponed until the next day, December 9th.

Many of the Janesville friends of

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Mentzer, of Seattle, Wash., will be saddened to learn of the death of their infant son, Nov. 29th. The cause of the little one's death being spinal meningitis. Mrs. Mentzer will be remembered as Miss Susie Nesbit, of this city.

Was Taken Home.

The great benefits of the Russell ambulance were demonstrated this morning when the young son of John Martin was taken from the Palmer hospital to his father's home, near Hanover.

CRALL'S

Livery and Carriage Line. We will bring a people to their homes for repairing, washing or drying for \$1.00, in our wagonette. Leave orders in advance. 115 E. Milwaukee St. Phone New 195. Old 355.

50 lb. Sack Ethan Allen flour and

20 lbs. granulated sugar, \$2.05. 50 lb. Sack Ethan Allen flour \$1.10. 21 lbs. granulated sugar, \$1.00. Picnic hams, 7c. Salt pork, 7c. 1 qt. can Club House maple syrup, strictly pure, 20c. 1 qt. hand picked white beans, 8c. 1-2 lb. cake Baker's chocolate, 15c. 1 qt. oysters and 3 lbs. crackers, 50c. Package Cerro Fruto, Egg O Sae, Quaker Oats or Vigor Breakfast Food, 10c., 3 for 25c. Cap tomatoes, corn, or Peas, 8c. 1 lb. mixed nuts, 12 1-2c. 1 lb. English walnuts or almonds, 15c. 1 lb. Brazil nuts or filberts, all new, 12 1-2c.

THE FAIR.

ANOTHER DAMAGE SUIT IS BUGUN

GEORGE SCRIVENS CLAIMS SATISFACTION.

HE SAYS HE WAS INJURED

Fell Down a Stairway on South Main Street Thanksgiving Day.

George Scrivens this morning presented to the city officials a notification of suit for damages against the city. He alleges that on Nov. 26th, he sustained serious injury by falling into the basement stairway on South Main street, is still disabled and will ask for damages for his injuries.

His Allegations

The claim alleges that one side of the stairway adjoining the sidewalk was unguarded except for a rail loose at one end, which lay across two posts about three feet high and that this guard afforded no protection to travelers.

Nothing Discernible

At the time of the accident Dr. Sutherland attended Mr. Scrivens and took him to his home. Dr. Sutherland when asked as to the man's injuries this afternoon stated that there was no injury discernible, but that the man complained of pain in the lower part of his back.

Pity the Overfed Man.

The women should complain less about their lot in life. After they have eaten a big Sunday dinner they have to hustle around and do the dishes, and this activity is good for their health. A man, having no dishes to do, gets sluggish sitting around and becomes miserable. We fear that the women do not appreciate all their advantages over the men.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

The Art Department.

The art department of the art league met with Miss Gertrude Cobb, 303 Center street at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

We have a few barrels of good

sound apples at \$2.25 a bin. We expect to be ready tomorrow evening with a stock of fresh meats. The big ice box is now completed and will hold 12,000 lbs. of ice and is the finest one in the city. We expect to carry a large stock of meats so as to have as much as the beef we are selling as possible. The marble top counter is not yet here but we will look a little prettier later. We believe we can give you good meats and will sell at the lowest possible prices, but will not be able to tell you what that is until the stock arrives tomorrow morning. Just for fun give us your Saturday order.

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Are you finding it hard to get good dairy butter? Is the kind you need getting scarce and raising as you would like to have it? Would you like to get some that is absolutely guaranteed to be right? Carl's Word store is the place to go to it.

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DOWIEITE TALKS ON THE PROSPECT

Says That Receivership Will Soon Be Removed, and That the Village Is Financially Safe.

Word has come from a former Janesville man, Arthur Newcomb, that the Dowieites expect to be able to weather the storm which is at present hanging over the little city on the lake shore. He stated that he believed they would be able to meet all their obligations and that their affairs were in good condition. Every land owner owns his own home and can sell it whenever he wishes. The property is all held under a 1,100 year lease. Mr. Newcomb further stated that there were no mortgages on any improved property, but that some unimproved real estate on the outskirts was mortgaged to the extent that all the installment had not been paid by the purchasers.

The report that a big sum of

Dowieites' money left the country with Mrs. Dowie when she left for abroad is entirely without truth. Dowie himself believes, so the report goes, that he will have the receivership removed in a week and that by the first of the year all debts would be paid.

NEW FENCE IS PATENTED

Will Start Factory in This City in Near Future.

A Janesville boy has drawn the plans for a new wire fence machine which weaves a different style of wire mesh that promises to be an improvement over any now made. E. Bartholomew, of the Ohio Fence company, has secured a patent on the invention and will put it on the market. The preparatory work has been going on at the Kent factory on North Main street during the past summer, the plans have been perfected and the concern will soon start in full office in this city.

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A Tobacco lover could not help being pleased with one of our pipes. Every Pipe was selected with care, for its appearance [as well as smoking qualities]. They are quite elegant enough for Xmas gifts.

Hall, Sayles, & Field

COUNTY NEWS

KOSHKONONG
Koshkonong, Dec. 3.—Mrs. Scott Robinson spent Thursday of last week with relatives in Janesville. Walter Smith went to Sun Prairie this week for a short stay. Miss Mabel Ward visited relatives in Ft. Atkinson Thursday. Mrs. J. K. Lynch spent part of last week in Janesville with her sisters the Misses Mead. Mrs. F. B. Stedman entertained a friend from Edgerton Sunday. David Clark, of Janesville, spent Friday night at P. Traynor's. Mrs. Fred Westrick, of Milton visited Mrs. S. Ward Wednesday. A few of the young people enjoyed a party at Moore's hall Thanksgiving eve. J. K. Lynd received a car load of Jersey goats this week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones and J. Jones attended the play "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" at Milton Monday night.

The band of crusaders who have done so much good work at Milton Junction, Milton and Lima are expected to hold services at Otter Creek church beginning next week. Announcement will be made later by Rev. Starkweather, Sunday, Dec. 6th. The Mite society did not meet with Mrs. Jessie Marquart this week on account of sickness in the family but will meet next Wednesday, Dec. 9th. The Otter Creek Sabbath school will hold their Christmas tree exercises Christmas eve, Dec. 24th.

FOOTVILLE
Footville, Dec. 3.—On Tuesday eve Dec. 3th the ideal entertainers will be at the Footville hall. They are no strangers having delighted our people before. This time they come with new people, new pictures new music and new features. Proceeds will go for the benefit of Footville Glee club. Let everybody be sure and come. Miss Helen Poppel spent Wednesday with Mrs. Emma Dunbar. Mr. Arthur Wisluga attended the Fat Stock show in Chicago Monday and Tuesday. The S. of V. met with Earl Richards on Wednesday evening.

MILTON
Milton, December 3.—At the meeting of the Citizens' association held Wednesday evening the committee on proposed incorporation reported, at the request of a committee from Milton Junction, T. I. Place, G. R. Boss and J. G. Carr, were elected to represent the association in the Junction committee to consider the question of the incorporation of the two villages as a city and report at the next meeting. A motion declaring the members present to favor an incorporation of that kind received nine yeas, two nays, was cast against and twenty did not vote. By request Rev. Dr. Platts gave an outline of the plan of organization and manner of conducting a building and loan association and the benefits derived therefrom. Dr. J. H. Burdick and N. W. Crosby also gave their experience as members of an organization of that kind. A proposition by T. I. Place that the association give a series of entertainments this winter was not acted upon.

The funeral of the late Leo Froese took place at the M. E. church Tuesday afternoon, Rev. T. W. North, officiating, and burial was made here. The theatre Monday night drew a good house and pleased the patrons. Mrs. L. J. Crumh visited relatives at Darlen this week. E. C. Cowan has gone to Carterville, Ill., to visit relatives. E. F. Wiegand returned from his two weeks' visit at Elma, Iowa, Tuesday morning.

W. S. Wells was in Chicago this week, accompanying his cousin, Postmaster Ames, of Genoa, N. Y., who is on his way home from the Pacific coast. Two degrees below zero Wednesday morning, the record to date. The fire department met Tuesday evening. The lecture on Egypt by Rev. M. G. Stillman, of Walworth Tuesday evening was illustrated with lime light and proved both interesting and instructive. Harold Babcock returned to school Monday, but is obliged to use crutches, as the result of an injury to his knee, received in the foot ball game with Whitewater.

The college base ball team is being organized for next season. A number of our citizens took part in the Wisconsin Sugar company excursion to Menominee Falls Thursday. Carls are out announcing the coming marriage of Miss Myrtle L. Adair and Thomas E. Davidson on Wednesday, Dec. 16th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Addie.

RICHMOND
Richmond, Dec. 3.—There was a chicken pie social at the home of J. K. Killans last evening given under the auspices of the Epworth League. Miss Dunn who has been ill has resumed school work in district No. 8. A number of the young people pleasantly surprised James De Laney at his home on Friday evening. Mrs. Thomas Mahon is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. James Killans and Miss Gertrude and Mr. and Mrs. T. Caveney celebrated their wedding anniversary together at the home of the latter on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Holbrook entertained a number of their friends at progressive cinch Tuesday evening. The first prizes were awarded to Julia DeLaney and John Killaney.

Remember the date of the entertainment at the M. E. church Friday evening, Dec. 11th. Mr. John Caveney and daughter, Florence and Miss Katherine Caveney of Milwaukee were guests at their brother's Saturday. The first of a series of club dances will be given at Holbrook's hall Friday evening of this week.

ELEVATED HEIGHTS
Elevated Heights, Dec. 4.—Mr. W. L. Lutz is under going the use of a

new telephone recently put in his residence. Mr. Frank March of Edgerton, is working in Porter. Turkey buyers are very plentiful offering 15 cents per pound. Mr. W. Alcen, West Porter, has went to Beloit to visit his sister, Mrs. W. Weir. Mr. and Mrs. J. Nichols purchased a residence in Stoughton and calculate to move there in spring. Mr. W. Murphy, of Dunkirk is at work on the mail route in that vicinity. Miss Uva Griffith of Evansville spent Sunday with Miss Sarah, her cousin. Mr. Mike Ford, of East Porter, is renting his farm and going to move to Janesville. James Erdahl, of Beloit, spent Sunday with his parents. Mrs. F. March, of Edgerton, spent a couple of weeks with her mother in Watertown.

EMERALD GROVE
Emerald Grove, Dec. 3.—The Modern Woodmen will hold a meeting on Saturday evening of this week for the election of officers. All the members are requested to be present. The Ladies' Auxiliary will have a donation booth at the fair, and gifts will be gladly received from anyone who wishes to donate an article. Priscilla Fitch is planning to visit relatives in Ft. Atkinson on Saturday and Sunday. Mr. R. Liburn left for Chicago on Thursday.

Meloy Bros. shipped a number of horses to be exhibited at the Chicago Fat Stock show. Roy Carter and friend of Janesville, spent Sunday at Jas. Scott's.

ROCK
Rock, Dec. 3.—Mr. Chandlerlain, of Milton Junction is at work at Mr. Patterson's furnishing the interior of the house. Mr. Cloude Stebbins, of Stoughton, visited his farm near Janesville last week. Master Eddie Reed who has been very ill for some time is now able to be out of doors. B. F. Blanchard, of Janesville repaired the wind mill on the Tolles farm this first of the week. Still the beet growers are anxiously waiting for cars and every day the beets are shrinking and losing in weight.

Mr. H. Smith while at work at Mr. Fanning's cutting wood was quite painfully injured by a tree falling on him. He was brought home but as yet it cannot be determined just how badly he is hurt. It has injured his back so that he cannot move. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, of Milton Junction, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mickleson the first part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Reed are expected home from Chicago today. It will seem pleasant to Mr. Reed to come home after his long confinement in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr W. Tolles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones on the Madison road. Mrs. Fernley McCarthy who has been quite ill for the past week is slowly improving. Miss Georgia Glass spent Tuesday with Mrs. Tolles. Harry Egan representative of the Wilson Bros., removers of Edgerton, was a caller in this vicinity today.

JANESVILLE
Janesville, Dec. 3.—J. Davis entertained a company of young people at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis, Friday evening in honor of his cousin, Miss Carrie Swingle, of Shopton. Music, games and dainty refreshments gave an evening of pleasure to all. Mall Carrier Miller reports that he is well pleased with his new route. Mrs. P. P. Magee spent Wednesday in the city. Miss Della Cleat attempted the Presbyterian sale in the city, Wednesday afternoon. Herman Passall is confined to the house by illness. Gordon Randall has been appointed as carrier on one of the new mail routes.

W. S. Britt delivered hogs in the city market, Thursday. Mr. Adam Korn, a former resident of our town, now living in the city, has returned to his home from the Palmer hospital. Mr. Korn had an operation performed some time ago but was obliged to return for treatment.

Bryan's Daughter Is Hurt.
Hannantville, Mo., Dec. 4.—William H. Leavitt and his wife, who is William J. Bryan's daughter, were thrown from a trap in a runaway here. Mr. Leavitt suffered a fractured arm and Mrs. Leavitt was only slightly bruised.

Denounces Cleveland.
Richmond, Va., Dec. 4.—Senator Ople in the Virginia General Assembly termed Grover Cleveland a "Judas beaerli", who had dismembered the national democracy.

Rear-End Collision.
Lancaster, Dec. 4.—One man was killed and three dangerously hurt by a rear end collision of freight trains on the Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley railroad.

Rolling Mill May Close.
Newport, Ky., Dec. 4.—On account of dullness existing in the market it is feared the rolling mills will close early this month.

WOMAN IS DEAD OF GLANDERS

Bride of a Week Catches Disease From a Pet Horse.
Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 4.—Mrs. Richard P. Mueller, bride of a week, is dead of glanders. She caught the dread disease from her pet horse, which she drove to this city while preparing her trousseau. Her symptoms were obscure, and she had been treated for rheumatism. Her death was unexpected.

Sues for Mortgage Tax.
Louisville, Dec. 4.—T. C. Albritton, agent for the Kentucky Auditor, has filed suit against eighty-one residents of Carrollton for back taxes alleged to be due on mortgages, amounting to about \$1,000,000. If the suits are won all the substantial residents of the town will have to go into the hands of receivers, it is said.

Fight Against Divorce.
New York, Dec. 4.—Ministers of all denominations are assuring the Episcopal church committee in New York that they will cooperate with it in preventing the marriage of divorced persons. All ecclesiastics have been invited to join hands in the movement.

Big Church Burns.
Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 4.—St. Paul's Lutheran church was gutted by fire. It was built in 1839 at a cost of \$50,000 and had a seating capacity of 1,000. Only \$10,000 insurance was carried. Increased gas pressure in the furnace probably caused the fire.

Attach Tin-Plate Works.
Marietta, Ohio, Dec. 4.—Creditors have applied for the appointment of a receiver for the United Sheet and Tin-Plate company. Twelve attachment suits have been filed against the plant.

Oil King Dies.
Excelsior Springs, Mo., Dec. 4.—George H. White of Boston, a heavy holder of Kansas oil lands, is dead here of heart disease. The interment will be at Franklin, Pa.

French Consul Retires.
San Juan, Porto Rico, Dec. 4.—Francis M. V. Nettermer, the French consul here, has retired. He has been thirty-eight years in the diplomatic service.

Wife Murderer Is Hanged.
Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 4.—Joseph Canavsky, who beat his wife to death at their home in Minersville, Pa., on Jan. 7 last, was hanged in the jail yard.

Home From Philippines.
San Francisco, Dec. 4.—W. Morgan Shuster, collector of customs at Manila, has arrived from the Philippines.

Suspends Students.
New Brunswick, N. J., Dec. 4.—The faculty of Rutgers college has suspended for a fortnight twenty-two upper class men who kidnapped John Bergen of New York and hazed him on the campus. Bergen was forced to parade in his undergarments and is seriously ill from exposure.

Feuds Threaten.
Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 4.—Following upon the heels of the order issued by Governor Beckham that the state troops be withdrawn from Jackson, disquieting reports of pending trouble have emanated from the feud circle. These include an alleged attempt upon the life of Judge James Hargis.

Boy Dies of Hydrophobia.
New York, Dec. 2.—Harking and frothing at the mouth like a mad dog, Arthur Doherty, a nine-year-old boy, died at the Long Island College Hospital. Hospital physicians pronounced it the worst case of hydrophobia on record.

McClure Dislikes Sentence.
Tipton, Ind., Dec. 4.—Jesse McClure, who murdered his two small children, has been taken to prison to begin his life sentence. McClure hoped he would be hanged. His wife refused to bid him goodbye.

Arrest Soldiers for Murder.
Pittsburg, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Sergeant Joseph McElvaine and Private Nichols of the United States garrison, have been arrested in connection with the death of an Italian in the post hospital.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on the wrapper.
Bottle \$5.00.

On Trial for Murder.
St. Charlesville, O., Dec. 4.—Joseph Christian, who killed Abraham Skidmore at his sister's wedding, is on trial on the charge of murder.

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FACTS AND FICTION.

Experiences of Janesville Citizens Are Easily Proven to be facts.
The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement is true: Read it and compare evidence from Janesville people with testimony of strangers living so far away you cannot investigate the facts of the case. Many more citizens of Janesville will endorse our claims.

A. F. Lee, of 51 Sharon St., carpenter, says: "I can most strongly recommend Dean's Kidney Pills for kidney complaint. I think mine was contracted in the army where I served in Co. D, 2nd Wis. Inf. For the last twenty years it troubled me a great deal. Many days I could hardly keep at my work and by right should have staid at home and doctored. It was three or four days at a stretch. When stooping or lifting sharp twinges penetrated the kidneys the secretions from those organs were too frequent and accompanied by pain. I used all kinds of remedies but never gave permanent relief. Having Dean's Kidney Pills at the People's Drug Co., I took them and after the first three or four doses a noticeable change was brought about. I improved steadily from then on and on completing the treatment I was in good condition and am now well. I do not feel anything of the trouble now and consequently take pleasure in recommending the remedy which did so much for me."

Dean's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by People's Drug Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Dean's and take no other.

Do you feel mean, cross, all out of sorts, no ambition, all broke up? Rocky Mountain Tea will make you strong, healthy and robust, 25 cents, tea or tablet form. A. Volss' Pharmacy.

"To be healthy, wealthy and wise is a saying that we all prize. But you can get healthy and wealthy by using Rocky Mountain Tea. If you're wise and drink A. B. C. Family Tea, 25c a package, Badger Drug Co."

A CARD
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Green's warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
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If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth.
Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Waskow's Peppermint Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, cures the mother's milk, cures wind colic, cures the baby's diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

C.M. & St. Paul Ry.
Homeseekers' Excursions via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.
One fare plus \$2 for the round trip, effective first and third Tuesday of each month from December 1903 to April 1904, inclusive. Dates of sale December 1 and 15, 1903; January 5 and 19, 1904. For details apply to agents of the C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Broken Confidence.
The woman who reveals her inner thoughts to her friend has no reason for complaint if that friend passes on her confidences to another. We can not expect others to exert greater reticence than we do ourselves. There is a responsibility in imparting our own secrets, as well as in keeping those of others. Many a broken friendship can be traced to nothing more than a repeated confidence, which should never have been bestowed in the first place.

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Dean's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Calumet Baking Powder
A perfectly healthful powder made by improved chemical methods and of accurately proportioned materials.

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LODGE CALENDAR.

Masonic.
Western Star Lodge, No. 14, E. and A. M.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Janesville Lodge, No. 55, F. and A. M.—2nd and 4th Monday.
Janesville Chapter, No. 5, H. A. M.—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Janesville Commandery, No. 2, K. T.—2nd and 4th Thursday.
Janesville Chapter, No. 69, O. E. S.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.
I. O. O. F.
Wisconsin Lodge, No. 14.—Every Wednesday.
Janesville City Lodge, No. 90.—Every Tuesday.
Rock River Encampment, No. 3.—1st and 3rd Friday.
Canton Janesville, No. 9, Patriarchs Militant.—2nd and 4th Friday.
American Lodge, No. 25, B. of B. 2nd and 4th Saturday.
Janesville and Bonnet Club.—1st Thursday.
Janesville Lodge, No. 171, D. of M.—2nd and 4th Thursday.
Catholic Knights of Wisconsin.
Branch, No. 60.—3rd Sunday.
Elks.
Janesville Lodge, No. 251.—Every Tuesday.

G. A. R.
W. H. Sargent Post, No. 24.—2nd and 4th Friday.
W. H. Sargent Corps, No. 21, W. R. C.—Every Alternate Tuesday.
Hibernians.
Division, No. 1.—2nd Sunday.
Janesville Garrison, No. 19.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.
Knights of the Maccabees.
Rock River Tent, No. 51.—1st and 3rd Monday.
Rock River Hike, No. 71, Ladies of the Maccabees.—1st and 3rd Monday.
Knights of Pythias.
Oriental Lodge, No. 22.—Meets every Friday.
Modern Woodmen of America.
Florence Camp No. 25.—2nd and 4th Monday.
Crystal Camp, No. 122.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.
National Union.
Janesville Council, No. 238.—1st Tuesday.

United Workmen.
Olive Branch, No. 34.—2nd and 4th Friday.
Olive Lodge, No. 27, Degree of Honor.—1st and 3rd Wednesday.
Laurie Lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor.—1st and 3rd Wednesday.
Badger Council, No. 222, Royal Arcanum.—2nd and 4th Monday.
Independent Order of Foresters.—4th Monday.
Mystic Workers of the World.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Forest Council, No. 214, Royal League.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.
Boys' and Girls' Club.—4th Tuesday.
Colony, No. 2, B. F. F.—4th Tuesday.
St. Patrick's Court, No. 318.—1st and 3rd Wednesday.
Crystal Camp, No. 122, H. A. A.
Rock River Grange, P. of H.
Men Hur Court, No. 1, Tribe of Ben Hur.—2nd and 4th Thursday.
Knights of Columbus.—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Peoples' Lodge, No. 409, I. O. G. T.—Every 2nd Friday.
Boyer City Verein, No. 31, Germania Unterzingsheim Verein.—3rd Friday.
Janesville Council, No. 108, U. C. T.—1st and 3rd Saturday.
Janesville Assembly of Equitable Fraternal Union, No. 171, meets the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month at the Caledonian hall, Carle block.

Labor Organizations.
Journeymen Barbers' Union.—1st Monday.
Painters, Paperhangers & Decorators Union.—1st and 3rd Monday.
Journeymen Tailors' Union.—2nd Monday.
Leather Workers.
Brothers' Union.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.
Retail Clerks' Union.—3d Tuesday.
Mechanists' Union.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.
Federal Labor Union.—1st and 3rd Wednesday.
Typographical Union.—1st Wednesday.
Trades Council, Building Trades Council.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.
Woodworkers' Union.—4th Thursday.
Cigar Makers' Union.—2nd Wednesday.
Boat & Ship Workers' Union.—1st Thursday.
Teamsters' Union.—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Unaffiliated Sheet Metal Workers Union.—1st and 3rd Friday.
Carpenters' Union.—1st and 3rd Friday.
Women's Union—Label League.—2nd and 4th Friday.
Stone Cutters' Association of North America.—3rd Friday.
Knights & Masons' Union, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.—1st and 3rd Saturday.

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Then they designed a key on different lines from any ever before made.

It fitted the lock; the tumblers were tripped; the bolt shot smoothly back, and the door of health—always before closed to catarrh sufferers—swung open, letting the light of hope into the lives of twelve million men and women.

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—a remedy which embodies the great vital principle specialists have sought for years.

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Mucu-Tone goes behind the poisonous germs, and cures them out before beginning its work of healing. It works through the blood, being carried by the arteries and veins direct to the walls of the sore membranes.

And because it works through the blood it cures catarrh of the stomach, intestines, liver, kidneys and bladder, just as easily and as certainly as it cures catarrh of the head or of the delicate organs of generation.

We feel that the discovery of Mucu-Tone means far more to the public than the modern inventions that have startled the world with their brilliance. It means life, and health, and strength, and freedom from pain, for millions of suffering men and women.

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CHAPTER II.—Darcie hints to Faith at what he styles his "equivocal position," from which some strikers who overhear the remark jump to conclusion he is a spy or reporter. He also says he has found in her his "mountain lily."

CHAPTER III.—Mike airs his grievances against labor unions in general and tells Darcie of some of the common scandal concerning him, to the effect that he is not only a "snicker," a coward and incapable, but a thief and swindler as well.

CHAPTER IV.—Darcie receives notice from strikers to leave the neighborhood. Abby Steers (Bingham's housekeeper) gives Mike a message for Darcie "from her," and Darcie, in company with Mike, goes to the Big Horn. Wan, cleaning Darcie's blood-stained coat, comes upon a letter in a blue envelope, which he reads and says: "I admit," said Faith, "that I am not what I thought him. I don't understand."

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seek to conceal," Mike asked Mike, "Was ye expectin' me?" asked Mike, stalling his voice into the depths of his richest brogue. "Did the docther tell ye where I was hid? I'll be bound ye never asked him; for why wouldn't he tell ye, unless the little girl was by? I bet she was in it the best of the time, and ye never gave me a thought. But we better be 'listin' out on this. Sure, I'm livin' like Rob'nson Crusoe in a cave o' me own as handy as a pocket in a shirt. There's grub for two, an' the docther was tellin' me he'd find me a boarder. He never mentioned your name, but I whistled on the chant. The docther is an honest man, entirely; he's threatened me white. He had me loife in his hand the night I borrowed a loggin' unbeknownst to him, when thin blag-yards was chokin' me 'trough the woods; an' he just chucked me the wink. 'Lay low, Mike,' says he; 'there's better men underground than some that's on top.'

"An' now follow me into me diggin's. It's a pair o' gophers we'll be. I been spreadin' me toes a bit underground, feelin' for daylight by the back way. Up on," he added, pointing generally up the gulchside among the underbrush, "is the back door as me gopher-hole. Hearts is thumps, but spades is our long shuft, me lad."

Without more elucidation of the facts conveyed in these mixed metaphors, Mike undid the hump of the cellar door, and Darcie, stooping, followed him into a place where an odor of pine knidling-wood mingled with that of freshly dug earth.

"I put out me light beca'se I'm not keepin' a public," Mike explained. "Stun' still in your thracks till I fasten the door, an' thin we'll see the color o' night underground."

"This was the old man's wine-cellar," he babbed on, while making hospitable arrangements for his boarder's comfort; jabbing a miner's pronged iron candlestick, in which he had placed a lighted candle, into a beam of the cellar timbering, and dragging forth a soap-box for a seat.

"It is a pity he didn't mix a two or three dozen of beer with his was cleanin' up, or a gallon of good whiskey. The docther, honest man, he's good for free loggin' and grub and 'baecy, but he's never said beer to me wince since in it I come, and I don't think it's manness, but a touch o' precaution, seein' how some folks exceed themselves that's outler nor what I am."

"It's a dory supper we'll have, for it's mostly canned stuff I'm livin' on, not havin' the means o' consumin' me own shmoke when I'm cookin'."

It was after 11 o'clock, and all was yet silent outside so far as the deaf and dumb walls of the cellar reported the sound of the night. Darcie was lying on the pallet of boards and blankets that Mike had prepared for him, broad awake, and staring in the darkness. His arm was aching steadily, and he was thinking, thinking the black thoughts of grief at night, trying the depths of his pain, and finding it very deep indeed. He had forgotten all about the doctor's poppy and mandragora. He stretched forth his hand and felt Mike's shoulder, and shook the honest sleeper beside him.

"Make a light, will you? I can't lie here in the dark," he complained in an injured voice, as if Mike had several times and persistently refused him the small boon of a candle.

"What's the matter that ye cannot sleep?" Mike inquired. "Is your arm hurtin' ye bad?"

"Everything is hurting me," Darcie specified. "My arm weighs a ton, and every pound is pulling on the small of my back, and there's a scalding lump in my chest that stings me. Is it likely I can sleep?"

"That's a square mess as symptoms ye have. I sings, I dunno what to make of it. Whisper, Darcie!" Mike coaxed, lowering his tumultuous voice to a sentimental aside that might have been heard, barring the intervention of the cellar-walls, across the gulch. "Have ye got it all fixed wid your gurl? Are ye in it?"

"Don't talk to me," Darcie groaned, turning his face away from the candle. "Sure, 'twas yourself that was talkin'."

What was I sayin'? Div'l a word beyond what's civil." Mike protested rather sulkily. He lay silent, watching Darcie's face till he could bear its changed expression no longer.

"Oh, bad luck to him! What was ye doin', anyhow, that they fired ye out, an' you no better nor a sick chould?"

"Shut up!" shouted Darcie. "I fired myself out."

"Musha, ye needn't be so mad wid me! There's not a thing I won't take from ye, the way ye are; so pile it on. But what I want to know is—and I'm bound to know it, for I've me plans to lay—will she be comin' wid us when we're ready to put out o' this?"

"She will not," said Darcie through his set teeth. (To be Continued)

MAN'S BEST FRIEND.—Dr. Mutter's Ointment for Lost Manhood. Acts immediately. It does the business. Sample free. Dr. J. C. Mutter, D.D., 16 E. 12th St., New York.

Interesting to Maidens.—Mrs. Straythorn—I am certainly surprised to hear you girls discussing "students" in that unbecomingly fashion, and on Sunday, too. May Breezy—Oh, but they're theological students, you know.—Philadelphia Press.

Mrs. Austin's Panacea flour is best of all. A fresh supply now on hand at your grocers.

The Ubiquitous Mosquito.—The mosquito, which injects yellow fever with its proboscis, bites by day as well as by night, and is called the day or striped mosquito. It is found chiefly in cities, where it breeds in any chance receptacle of standing water. The eggs are laid in standing water, and although the receptacle may dry up, the eggs do not desiccate, but will hatch as soon as it again contains water.

A tonic that strengthens the stomach, cleanses the clogged up liver, makes every organ of the body move correctly. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Volss' Pharmacy.

TO START NEW LUMBER PLANT

Wisconsin Company Will Build at Ashland—Paper Mill to Resume. Ashland, Wis., Dec. 4.—The Northwestern Co. and Lumber Company, which has plants in operation in Ohio and Michigan, has made arrangements to start a large plant at Ashland. W. W. Edwards of Leipsie, Ohio, is president of the concern, and E. H. Rushing of Gladstone, Mich., is manager. The construction of the plant will begin at once.

The Ashland Sulphite and Fiber company mill, the largest sulphite paper mill in northern Wisconsin, which has been idle for three years, will resume operations Jan. 1 on a larger scale.

Convict Confesses Murder.

New York, Dec. 4.—Police Captain Reynolds of Brooklyn has received a letter from Ernest Monet, serving a twenty-year sentence in Auburn prison for the murder of Alfred Latimer in 1901, stating that a fellow convict had confessed to killing Latimer.

Typhoid Among Students.

Medford, Mass., Dec. 4.—The boarding-house connected with the Theta Delta Chi society clubhouse at Tufts college has been closed, two cases of typhoid fever having developed among students who took their meals at the clubhouse.

Come Large Numbers.

The total number of employees of all the corporations is 400,000, and they receive in wages nearly \$200,000,000. The employees of these combinations number only 8 per cent of all employees in the factories in which combination would be possible.

Ideal Electric Lamp.

Hundreds of electricians are at this moment striving to construct lamps in which nothing is consumed save the electrical energy applied to them.—Lamps that have the radiance of the sun and the coolness of the moon.

Suggestion for Hero.

"I want a hero for a new story," said the author. "Let me see," said a friend: "Suppose you take a man who has read all your books?"—Atlanta Constitution.

Do This.

Hope and keep busy.—Ashland May Agent.

The Dishes that please the Eye, the Palate and the Reason are made with Shredded Wheat.

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JANESVILLE MARKET REPORT

Quotations on Grain and Produce Reported for the Gazette.

EMPLOYED BY F. A. SPOON & CO.

December 3, 1903.

Wheat—No. 3, Winter, 75¢; No. 5, Spring, 80¢.

Flour—1st Pat. at \$1.25 to \$1.30; 2nd Pat. at \$1.20 to \$1.25 per sack.

Barley—Extra 45¢; fair to good malting 40¢; 2nd grade, 30¢.

Oats—Bar, new, per ton, 18¢; old, 17¢, depending on quality.

Corn—25¢.

Clover—5¢.

Timothy—5¢.

Hay—Pure corn and oats, \$11.00; timothy, \$12.00.

Beans—\$10.00 to 100 lb. sacks per ton.

Flour Middlings—\$1.00 sacked, per ton.

Red Dog, 72¢.

Standard Middlings, 18¢.

Meal—\$17.00 bulk.

Wheat—\$12.00 per ton.

Bar—\$8.00 per ton; baled, 49¢.

Grain—\$1.00 per ton.

Peas—\$1.50 per ton.

Beans—\$1.50 per ton.

Edo—\$1.50 per ton.

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THE ENTIRE surplus stock of Overcoats sent us from our own Wholesale House to be closed out at a big reduction. The backward fall was the cause of the big reductions and you get the benefit as the prices are guaranteed to be 25 and 35 per cent lower than we have or anyone else could have sold the same qualities before this purchase :: :: :: :: :: :: :: :: :: ::

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If you want an Overcoat made of high-grade fabric that will stay with you for several seasons, and with the sort of tailor work that makes a coat fit around the neck and hang gracefully from the shoulders and yet pay considerable less than the ordinary price for such a garment, you will be satisfied with these coats at \$12.00. You'll find any style of Overcoat you may wish in the assortment. Rough cloths, smooth cloths, medium lengths, long lengths, mostly with belts, values in this lot worth \$18 and \$16, choice at.....

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About fifty all-wool Kersey Overcoats in blue, black and brown, medium and box lengths, best of linings and trimmings. Overcoats in this lot worth up to \$15.00.

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Choice all sizes

Great Sale Men's Underwear.

Cut Prices on other Furnishings too.

Men's 50c Underwear, excellent quality; extra heavy fleeced, Size 34 to 44.

Men's Derby Ribbed shirts and drawers in blue, brown or pink, fine needle garments extra quality.

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Men's fine, pure all wool Shirts and Drawers, either blue, brown, silk finish, well taped, regular \$1.50 quality.

Men's heavy woolen hose natural color, extra heavy in weight, regular 35c grade. Sale price

Boy's school Knee Pants, Good weight, Ages 4 to 14. Sale Price

Boy's Winter Caps. Big assortment of heavy pull down Caps.

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12c

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WILD STORIES OF KAISER'S HEALTH

Some Say the Crown Prince is To Be Made Regent if Emperor Goes Away.

Berlin, Dec. 4.—The Kaiser's continued retirement, though officially explained by a desire for domestic life, is giving rise to all manner of fantastic tales. The crown prince is to be appointed regent, the emperor is to go to the consumptives' haven at Meran, he has cancer, he is seriously ill. All these and more idle yarns are passed from mouth to mouth, occasioning some uneasiness. There appears to be no ground for any alarm, however. The emperor spends his mornings attending to state business and the rest of the day with his family, and is said officially to be progressing favorably toward complete recovery.

SAYS STATES ARE TO CUT PRICES

British Agent Sells Large Importation of Surplus Stock to Europe.

London, Dec. 4.—The Board of Trade Journal for December contains a prediction by Seymour Bell, British commercial agent in the United States, that the decreasing demand in America for many classes of manufactured goods will lead to wholesale exports to be dumped in Europe and sold at almost any price. Mr. Bell adds that the enlargement of American factories resulted from a home demand which has not been sustained, and says while the total American exports last year decreased 4.6 per cent, those to British possessions increased 17 per cent. This, he concludes, was a far greater ratio of increase than shown in the statements of exports from the United Kingdom.

Play. Play distinguishes the higher from the lower animals and it signifies possibility of education. Fishes do not play at all; the lower mammals can hardly be taught to play, and birds are entirely devoid of the instinct. But the kitten and the lamb are essentially playing animals. The human young, however, are the true players, and, in reality, it is play that develops them into manhood.

Lightning Statistics. The risk of being struck by lightning is five times greater in the country than in cities, and twenty times greater at sea than in a railway carriage.

Germans Work Long. A correspondent who has been investigating the conditions of labor in German factories and has visited many of the principal cities, reports that the shortest week in his list is fifty-seven and one-half hours, and the longest sixty-two, both in textile mills. It may be said generally that the normal German working day is ten hours and the normal week sixty hours.



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We've provided for the wants of Handkerchief buyers as never before. More than double the selling space. Done everything to make choosing easy. Here are a few special lots for you to get first pick at:

Women's Unlaundered Hand Embroidered Initial pure linen, great bargain, **6 for 50c.**
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Wrist Purses.....	25c to 1.00	Chetelaines.....	25c to \$1.50
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At 25c Janesville's largest line and very best values. The styles fine hemstitched or scalloped edges with dainty embroidering. The qualities are far ahead of any other line in town. Any woman will be impressed with the beautiful sheerness of the linen.

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